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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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In re Application of:
Joseph C. Salamone, et al.

Examiner: K. Peng

Serial No.: 10/000,136

Group No.: 1712

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Docket No.: P02873

Title: HIGH REFRACTIVE INDEX POLYMERIC
SILOXYSILANE COMPOSITIONS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450


Honorable Sir:

Applicants herein respectfully request in this Petition a three (3) month extension of time as set forth in 37 CFR 1.136(a), from December 23, 2003 to March 23, 2004, within which to respond to the Office Action mailed September 23, 2003 regarding the above-identified application.

Please charge the required non-small entity three month extension fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3) as well as any additional required fee to deposit account 02-1425. Triplicate copies of this petition are submitted herewith for billing purposes.

Should you have any questions regarding this communication, please feel free to contact me at (636) 226-3340.

Respectfully submitted,


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